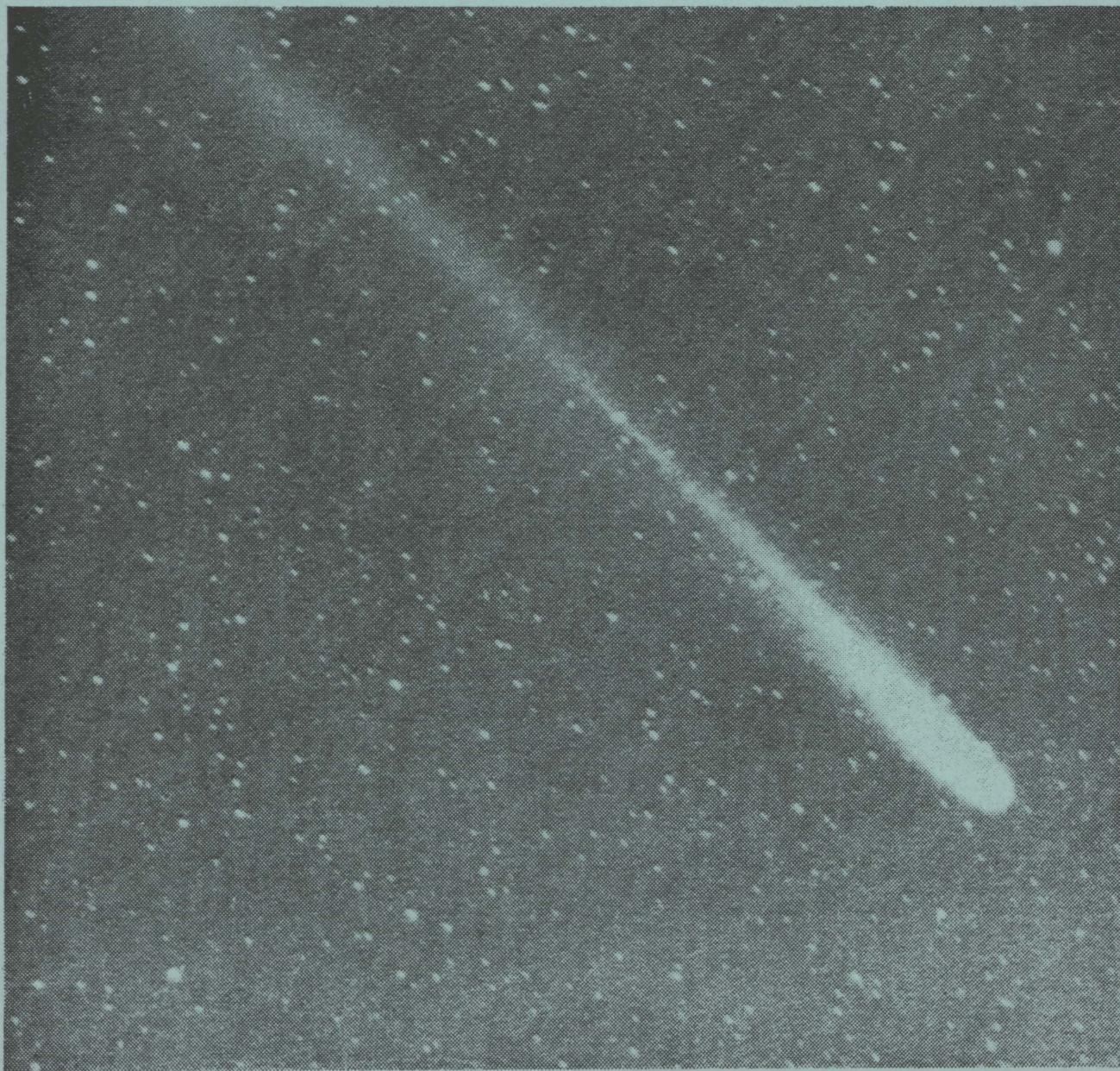


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# Outer Space Movies

A man passes through the eye of a needle into another world in COSTIGAN'S NEEDLE. Galactic forces of evil attack the immortal ones living in THE HOUSE THAT STOOD STILL, an A.E. vanVogt novel. The Arkenides and spaceships in the film PERRY RHODAN is coming to North America from Europe.

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Roy Thinnes (The Invaders) stars in Universal's JOURNEY TO THE FAR SIDE OF THE SUN. VOYAGE TO THE END OF THE UNIVERSE by AI-TV is another one. Seven Arts TV is doing MAN IN SPACE, a series of six-one hour specials for TV about America's trip to the Moon and its consequences. Avco-Embassy have three pictures in tow: NO MAN'S WORLD, which is about a U.S. moon patrol discovering the Russians have landed on the other side of the Moon. The two others are THE POSEIDON ADVENTURE and ALMOST MID-NIGHT, the latter based on the novel by Martin Caidin, an interplanetary and astronautic authority.

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● **COVER:** U.S. defence command took this photo of comet Tago-Sato-Kisaka, first spotted in October, 1969 in Japan.

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# Strange encounter



A VISIT  
WITH  
A  
FLYING  
SAUCER  
IN  
DENMARK

(Reprinted from SUFOI REPORTER #4)  
On the 27th of April, 1969 at about  
3 a.m., Mr. NN was driving his car on  
the road between Slagelse and Næstved.  
About 11 kilometres south of Slagelse  
he passed the estate of "Gyldenholm".  
He was doing about 60 kph. The air  
was slightly misty and a light breeze  
was blowing. The observer had a feel-  
ing he was being watched by something  
he couldn't define.

After having left the wood which surrounds the main building of the estate, he noticed at about 20 degrees in the southwest, an intensely shining white circle which approached with high speed. Within 3 to 4 seconds the circle had moved towards his car and suddenly, it stopped, close to him.

Since the motor lost its power and the lights switched off, he stopped at the right side of the road at a distance of about 6 metres from the object.

He saw that it was a so-called "flying saucer". He estimated the size to be about 9 metres wide and 6 metres high. It was like two bowls placed against each other with a broad shining band approximately across the centre besides a smaller stripe on the top of it. On the very top of it there was

something which looked like a small super-structure and a narrow fluorescent stripe was running across. At the foot of it, three round, luminous spots which the observer thought to be portholes were spaced out. The object was a shining grey-green color.

While the observer was looking at the UFO which was hovering three metres above the ground, three legs came sliding out from the bowl-formed hollows on the underside of the object. Before

touching the ground, a thick, cylindrical tube was sliding towards the ground and at the bottom of the tube a square opening appeared.

The observer didn't seem to be scared. He thought of leaving the car but decided to remain, because four persons one after another were coming out of an opening.

They were moving towards the car with slow, graceful movements, like frog-men walking on the bottom of the sea. The four persons were dressed in green-shining costumes on which there were three dark, vertical stripes on the front of the uniforms, the middle stripe being

the longest. While they were moving toward the car, a thick cable was sliding out of the lower part of the object in the direction of his car. The cable stopped about two metres from the right window. Next to the car, the cable ended in a square screen in which a round, white lighted lens was seen. The screen was supported by the cable at about 1 metre height. Meanwhile the four persons surrounded the car, two of them at the left door, in their hands they all had something rather long like a slender lantern which they placed to the car several places. The men were about 90 cm high. Their faces were much like ours but more flattened. Their mouths moved but no sound was heard. There was a sound of humming as from a high voltage system. They returned to the craft, cable and landing legs withdrawn and lifting off very fast it disappeared in the southwest quickly.



Two Canadian scientists have discovered that X-ray stars are sending radio signals.....Magnetic storms started by solar flares are producing breathtaking views of the Northern Lights and are also disrupting radio communications worldwide.....An Italian astronomer, Prof. Raffaele Bendandi, claimed discovery of a new planet between the sun and Mercury by means of calculations of influences in the solar system.....Two Japanese astronomers reported that Neptune is about 12% greater in diameter than 1949 calculations. They also said the planet is warmer than hitherto estimated.....Astronomer Peter van de Kamp, director

of Sprout Observatory at Pennsylvania's Swarthmore College, has announced that Barnard's star is circled by two planets but are too cold for life as we know it. The star is 35 trillion miles away from Earth and is about 2,000 times dimmer than our sun. It is located in the constellation of Ophiuchus.....The orbiting Astronomical Observatory put into orbit about a year ago found out that the farthest galaxies of the Universe are 40 billion light years away. One year ago scientists said it was 20 billion. Without an atmosphere to contend with, the eleven telescopes on the AOA can see at least twice as far than from the Earth as viewed by man.....Pioneer F, a spacecraft, will be launched to Jupiter in 1972. It will take from 600-800 days for the journey.....The Soviet Union launched 32 observation satellites which look down on the U.S.....Dr. Elbert King of the University of Houston said studies of the moon samples "make it seem impossible that tektites come from the moon." Chemistry showed no close similarity to tektites vs moon samples.....Dr. Gary Latham who suggested exploding an atomic bomb on the dark side of the moon has changed his mind.....The planned crash of the Saturn IV-B booster on the moon during Apollo 13 will send waves bounding 30 miles down.....A process of star formation was observed in the constellation of Orion in ultraviolet photos taken by astronaut Richard F. Gordon, Jr., on the Gemini 11 flight. The photos revealed the existence of dust, some 120 light years in diameter.....Russia is apparently planning to launch a spacecraft on Oct. 7, 1978 to gather scientific information from Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune.....Echo I fell to a fiery death off the west coast of South America on May 23, 1969....Two Australian scientists have picked up radio signals from objects up to 500 light years from Earth and they think the signals have been transmitted by another civilization. Discovery was in the southern hemisphere.....University of California researchers discovered a complex substance in deep space which could mean the possibility of life elsewhere in the universe. The substance is ammonia, believed to be a chemical ancestor of organic compounds and one of the ingredients needed in the origin of life as we know it.....An observatory on Malta reports astronomers have seen "ghost" flashes about 3 degrees on either side of two pulsars, one of them being in the Crab Nebula, the other nearby.....A new kind of star cluster, having tiny brilliant cores, spiral arms, emitting powerful radio signals and appearing on the visual edge of the universe, billions of light years away, may be a missing link in the evolution of the universe, said Dr. J.B. Oke, staff astronomer of Mt. Wilson and Palomar observatories.....Three University of Arizona scientists, Kuiper, Fink and Cruckshank, identified the rings of Saturn to be made out of blocks of ammonia ice. They used an infrared reflection spectrum.....The Earth's yearly orbit is 600 million miles....Our spacecraft, the Earth, travels through space at  $18\frac{1}{2}$  miles per second.

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**DID A FLYING SAUCER LAND HERE?** A Toronto commercial artist is convinced a flying saucer landed and took off again from a farm near Ballantrae, Ont. Claus Slade, who often visits his friend's farm say he first saw the land and take-off site five years ago.

He and his friend discovered the site while walking through the sumach-covered hills of the area to the south and west of Ballantrae. When he first saw it five years ago, the site cleared an area of about 50 feet in diameter.

The outer edge of the circle seared the ground to a crisp, leaving bits of charcoal. This outer circle is about three feet wide. And today, five years later, no vegetation grows on it. Inside the circle, small sumachs and weeds are growing, but the grass has not sprouted through. Just outside the outer circle, one can see flattened trees and toppled long grass, which is still dead. Above the circle, tall, 150-foot high oak trees still grow, but the branches which hang over the circle are dead.

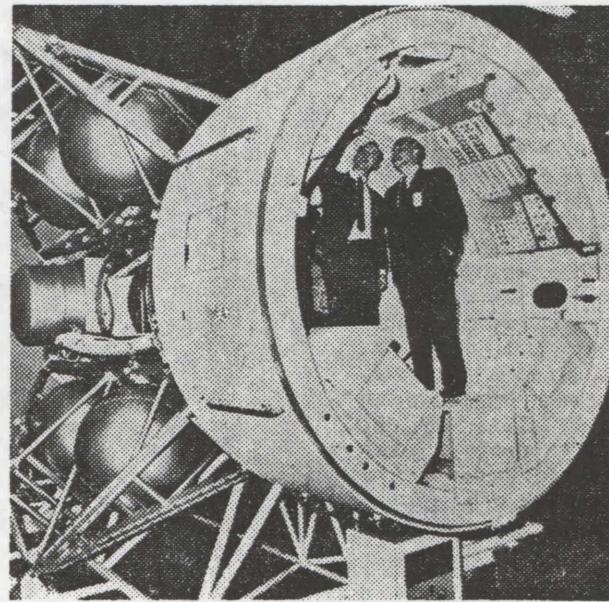
There is a path to the north of the circle extending about 100 feet to the south of the circle which is barren of leaf growth. All other vegetation within a 1,000 foot radius of the circle is growing normally.

The people who own the farm estimated that the seared circle occurred about the beginning of June, 1964. (The Era, Newmarket, Ont. Credit: David R. Haskell, Newmarket, Ont., - editor of The Era.)

**MELITA, Manitoba** - An RCMP constable reported sighting a UFO at about 2:45 a.m. Monday, Oct. 6, 1969, six miles north of Melita. Constable G.R. Gratton said he saw a bright light in the northeast but it grew steadily larger as it moved west. It increased in size to about twice as large as a full moon and was reddish-yellow in color. The constable said he lost sight of it after it stopped and moved eastward behind a cloud. (Kenora Miner & News, Ont.)

**BRANDON, Manitoba** - Jack Warkentin, a teacher at Green Acres School reported to police that he and his wife saw a UFO on Sunday, Oct. 5, 1969 between 1 and 1:30 a.m. To the east they saw a very bright white light, oval-shaped, which seemed to be stationary. It began to move steadily and quickly west, flashing rapidly and lighting a large portion of the sky. While travelling, it passed directly overhead and behind a cloud, but the clouds didn't cover it entirely. It lit up the sky around the clouds and was visible for 2½ minutes. There was no sound and was at a high altitude. Another light was seen right after in the east, a stationary fluorescent glow in the sky. He watched it for about 1½ minutes and went into the house. Mr. Warkentin says it definitely was not an airplane. (The Brandon Sun, Oct. 11, 1969)

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*Von Braun has a look*

Space scientist Dr. Wernher von Braun, right, gets briefing on operation of an airlock for the future Saturn V orbital workshop. Von Braun is director of Marshall Space Flight Centre, which recently awarded contracts valued at nearly \$185 million for work on the space workshop and its airlock module.

PROVOST, Alberta - One of the Provost News personnel was walking home on Nov. 4, 1969 when a UFO was spotted at an altitude of 500 feet over the golf course and grain elevators when viewed from 51st Ave. and 48th St. The light was pulsing at irregular intervals and was more orange than red and there were no other navigation lights visible. It remained for a few minutes and then moved parallel to the tracks in a westerly direction, losing it as it rapidly moved off rapidly to the southwest. The night was very dark, with a high altitude haze through which stars shone dimly. "The Provost News, Nov. 12, 1969)

LADYSMITH, B.C. - Graham Toole and Albert Birkeland were out for a drive about 9-9:30 p.m. on the weekend of Nov. 22, 1969. Toole saw an object in the air, about 45 degrees elevation as they looked towards the waterfront. It looked like it was about a quarter mile away. There were three lights with white on top and red on the bottom, bright but not as bright as looking into a light bulb. "All of a sudden, it took off and it went in a circle. I'd say it was a good three to four mile-radius and it covered the distance, starting toward the north and coming back again, in about three or four seconds," said Toole. The proprietor of Knight's Furniture Store, his wife and son were out for a drive at about the same time and also saw it. "It was over Thetis Island when we saw it...it was going too fast to be a plane," Mr. Knight said. "It was much too quick--it covered about 20 miles in that many seconds," he said. (The Victoria Daily Times, Victoria, B.C. Nov. 25, 1969. Credit: V.L Stanley-Jones, Duncan, B.C.)

LATE FLASH!! - Mr. Knight (see above) also reports he saw another UFO last September while driving back from Nanaimo, B.C. He noticed an object in the sky when he was in front of McGavin's Bakery warehouse in South Wellington. He stopped his car, got out and observed it. It was about a mile up and he could see cabin lights clearly. It was hovering 600 to 700 yards ahead of his car and he was able to observe the object for about 10 minutes before it took off in the direction of the mainland. (Nanaimo Free Press, Nov. 27, 1969)

STRATFORD, Ont. - Richard Scott, saw a UFO over his home about 11:30 pm, Nov. 29, 1969. He took the photo (at the right) with a Polaroid camera. He described the object as a red glow moving slowly in an easterly direction. He and about 15 other guests watched the object for about 20 seconds before it disappeared into the clouds.

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HALO IN ORBIT? - A UFO described as "greyish, saucer-shaped, with a transparent centre" hovered for about three minutes on Dec. 9, 1969 over Alexander elementary school, Duncan, B.C. Mrs. Edith Bieling, a teacher's aide, said she and two other aides, a teacher and the school secretary watched the aerial phenomenon from inside the school for a few minutes before rushing outside for a better look. It was sighted at 9:50 a.m. "It was practically the same color of the clouds which were quite low," said Mrs. Bieling. "But it was definitely not a cloud or any other type of weather disturbance." It made no noise and appeared to move sideways "but did not wobble" until it suddenly took off upward at great speed and disappeared into the clouds. Several UFO reports were made from Kuper Island and Ladysmith during the past weeks. (Victoria Daily Times, Victoria, B.C. Credit: V.L. Stanley-Jones)

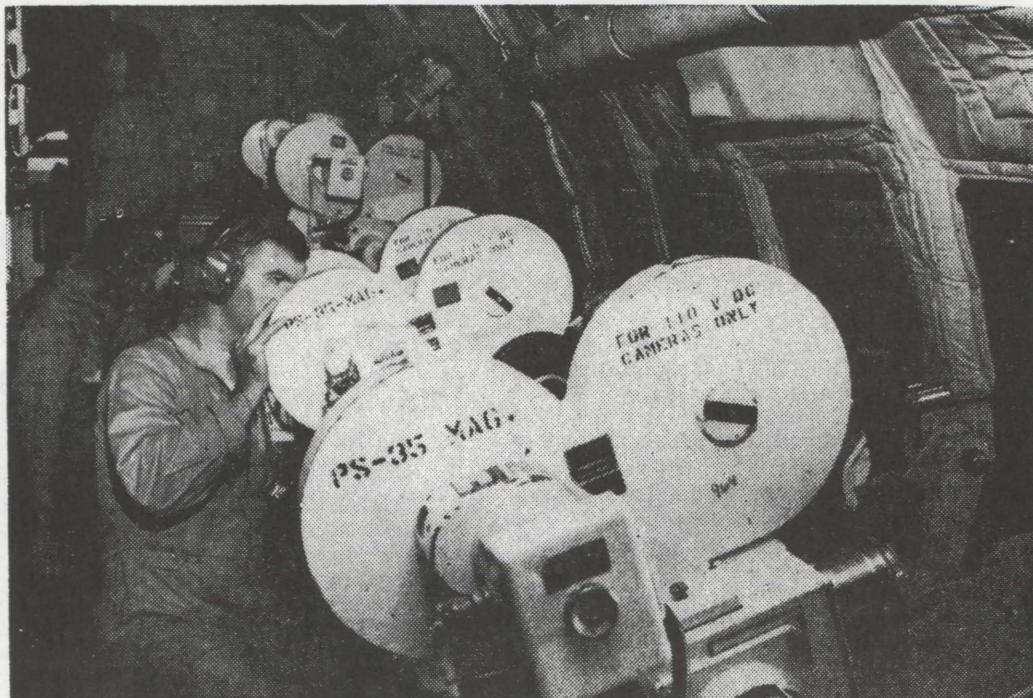
PILOT SEES STRANGE WHITE LIGHT - A local pilot (Welland, Ont.) was flying towards Toronto on Friday night, Dec. 5, 1969, shortly after 7 p.m. when he noticed a single bright white light which seemed to be over the middle of Lake Ontario. The light was oscillating up and down but with no apparent side motion and not moving towards or away from him. He was flying at 3,000 feet. Visibility was good. He observed it for 10 minutes and reported it to the radar advisory control at Toronto by radio. Nothing was detected on radar. Another pilot in the area also reported seeing the light. About five minutes later, the light stopped bouncing and disappeared to the southeast apparently at very high speed. The pilot had no comment as to what it was except that it was no known type of flying machine. (Welland-Port Colborne Tribune, Ont.)

VERMILION, Alberta - About Nov. 27, 1969, D.W. Bell of Vermilion Agricultural and Vocational College saw a "something" in the sky. It was a bright, white ball with a prominent blue flame-like tail. It seemed to be skimming along just above treetop level and was travelling southeast-northwest. The time was 7:53 p.m. (The Edmonton Journal, Dec. 12, 1969)

SOUTH EDMONTON, Alberta - Jim Cooney saw a UFO over the CPR yards early Dec. 12, 1969. He says this object was a bright white ball of light which had a distinct bright tail. It passed directly overhead at an altitude of 100 feet on a west-east course. It was moving slowly. It then disappeared, suddenly, as though the "something" had switched off lights, or power, or whatever. (The Edmonton Journal, Dec. 17, 1969)

PROJECT BLUEBOOK ENDS - A.F. Sec. Robert Seamans, Jr., ended its 22 year old investigation of flying saucers on Dec. 17, 1969. More than 7,000 reports were investigated. (Toronto Daily Star, Dec. 17, 1969)

Banks of movie cameras are part of the flying scientific laboratories made from NC-135 jet planes by Western Electric Company for the Atomic Energy Commission. Western Electric personnel use the specially outfitted craft to study northern lights, solar eclipses, the twinkling of stars, and other phenomena.



ASTRONOMER RAPS SCOFFERS - J. Allen Hynek is resolute in his unwillingness to accept the conclusions of the recent Condon Report which states UFOs do not exist and are a worthless object of scientific study. Participating in a panel discussion before the American Association for the Advancement of Science, Hynek said he will continue his interest, no matter how it may compromise his position with the scientific establishment or Northwestern University where he is a professor and chairman and also a director of two observatories.

To shut the doors of scientific investigation and to bar discussion in the scientific journals is deplorable, he insisted. Hynek says he has always been an "organization man" and had he not been asked by the USAF 21 years ago to investigate some sightings, he might still be as much of a scoffer as most of his orthodox colleagues. (The Vancouver Sun, Dec. 27, 1969)

SCIENTISTS SEEK TO KEEP UFO RECORDS INTACT - "The AF says it intends to move its Project Bluebook records from Wright-Patterson AFB to Maxwell AFB for storage, except for the classified (secret) records," said Dr. Thornton Page, Wesleyan University astronomy professor at Houston's Manned Spacecraft Centre. "I understand that the classified records will either be declassified or burned. Destroying these would be a pity."

"I don't know what the AF is going to do now. I do know that when I went to them recently and asked to look at the punchcard records on all sightings up to 1952, I was told they had been destroyed, though the original material is still in the files." (Hamilton Spectator, Ont. Dec. 27, 1969)

MILL BAY, B.C. - On New Year's Day, Jan. 1, 1970, Mrs. Bea Drummond saw a UFO and called her son, Jim and his wife Diana. It was about 7 p.m. It was slow, very bright orange and yellow. Mr. Drummond was on his newly-renovated tug-boat at the time with his family. Drummond grabbed his Polaroid camera and telescope. He did not take a photo as he thought it would only come out as a light. Through the telescope he saw it for five minutes before it disappeared into the clouds.

It was coming slow from the north, on a straight course southward. It was brighter in the middle. He saw four distinct lights of the same color that looked like tips of candles, only a lot bigger. It was as if something was burning. The lights were really close together and was the color of the sun. As the object passed over the bay, it seemed to slow down and once it passed over the tugboat, it seemed to drift up again and pick up speed. "What amazed me," said Drummond, "was when it seemed to really slow down and once it passed over the boat I thought I saw a curved ray that went down a long ways. My hair stood up on end. There was no noise, no reflection on the water, but was below the cloud level which was about 900 feet. The wind was going in another direction at the time. (Source: Victoria Daily Colonist, Jan. 4, 1970. Credit: V.L. Stanley-Jones, Duncan, B.C.)



"TAKE ME ALONG." Sunken Gardens model Debbie Dick of St. Petersburg, Fla., says she wants to go to the moon, but that's a rather scanty space suit for lunar exploring.

GOLDEN GLOB GLOWS IN SKY - A Burnaby, B.C. man saw an object like molten gold glowing in the sky in the Burnquitlam area on Sunday evening, Jan. 4, 1970. It was about 1,000 feet up in the sky, larger than a plane but didn't move. He said it looked as though it was dripping silver. "We saw it for two or three minutes then it either passed through the clouds or consumed itself. (The Vancouver Sun, Jan. 5, 1970)

LATE FLASH - The "golden glob" was later said to be a burning homemade balloon with candles. Molten wax falling to the ground could explain the "dripping silver". Dave Thompson, 16, confessed to the prank, who lives in Coquitlam, B.C. (Vancouver Sun, Jan. 6, 1970)

HUMAN - LIKE PAIR IN SAUCER - Mrs. Doreen Kendall, RN, of Nanaimo, B.C., saw a bright, circular object about 50 feet in diameter containing two human-like occupants which hovered only 40 feet away from the Cowichan District Hospital where she works as a nurse.

She said she had gone into the extensive-care wing on the second storey of the hospital to examine an elderly patient around 5 a.m. on New Year's Day. Concerned that the sleeping patient might be too warm, Mrs. Kendall pulled back a curtain by the bed and found herself looking at the glowing cockpit of an object, stationary in the air opposite the children's ward, one storey above her. It was slightly tipped downwards towards her, 40 feet away, and 60 feet off the ground.

At first she could only see the upper halves of the figures inside, but later, when the craft tilted more, she said she got an even better look.

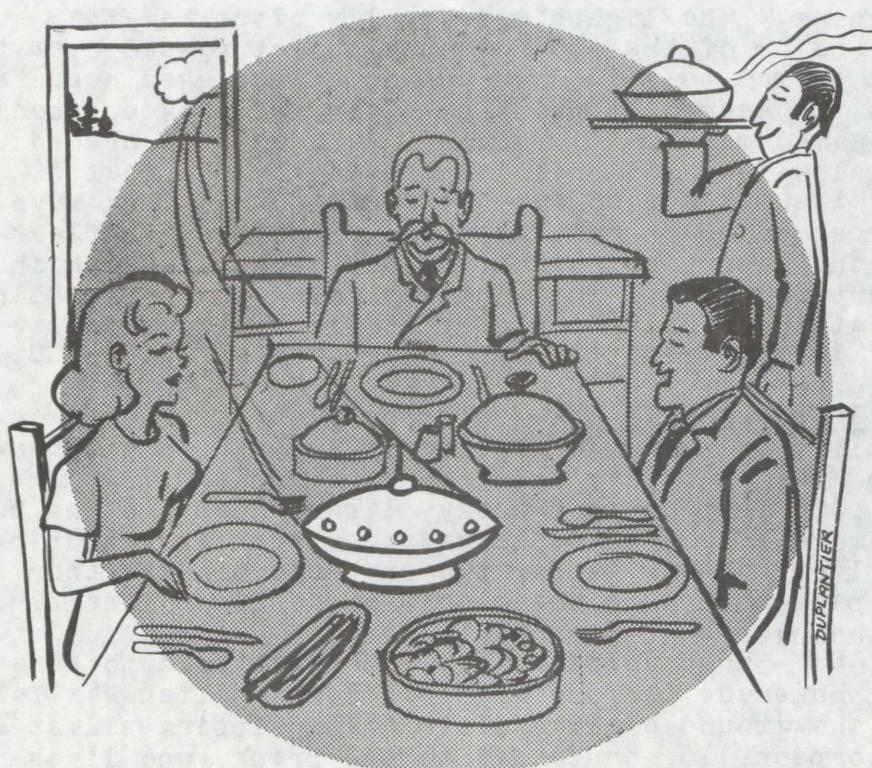
She said the vehicle was silvery, metallic and had a "necklace of lights" around the middle. The two figures inside the dome had "strikingly good-looking physiques" and were clothed in tight-fitting uniforms of a soft-looking material.

One stood before a glowing, chrome-colored instrument panel while the other, either shorter or standing in a recessed spot, stood behind him. Both had stools to sit on, she said. The craft gave off no sound and soon realized it was not a helicopter.

After a few moments, the second man, sensing he was being watched, turned to look directly at her, Mrs. Kendall said. She said he was wearing a darkish fabric, similar to his uniform and headgear, which obscured his facial features.

He touched the pilot with his ungloved hand, which was flesh-toned and human-like. The pilot pulled back, forward and then back again on a control lever "like a joystick of an old aircraft" and the craft tilted sideways affording Mrs. Kendall an excellent view of the interior. She said the dome appeared to be lit from below rather than from above. She felt no fear but called out when it appeared that the object was about to leave. Mrs. Freda

Wilson of Duncan, another nurse arrived with five hospital employees who watched the object circle slowly and finally disappear into the north. Mrs. Kendall said the craft seemed to almost touch the patio outside the hospital and in size spanned about five hospital windows. It was pitch black outside at the time. (The Victoria Times, Jan. 5, 1970. Credit: V.L. Stanley-Jones, Duncan, B.C.)



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#### STRANGE PHENOMENON FITS DESCRIPTIONS OF FLYING SAUCERS

Donat Francis and Ronald Mullin, residents of Murdochville, Quebec, and employees of Gaspe Copper Mines Ltd., were exposed to a frightening experience on the evening of October 11, 1969. At the time, both men were engaged in their normal work on the concentrator waste disposal dam located about three miles from the main plant and two miles from Murdochville.

The incident occurred during the graveyard shift at 12:20 a.m. while both men were patrolling and checking the discharge pipelines along the top bank of the "tailings" dam.

Mullin said that when he first saw the phenomenon he thought it was a shooting star but quickly changed his mind when he saw the behaviour of the luminous object.

Donat Francis was working in an area about a half mile from Mullin. Francis said he was at first disturbed by a noise similar to that of an outboard motor going full speed. Looking in the direction of the noise Donat states that he witnessed a bright object approx. 200 feet in the air and

it appeared to be heading directly at him. As it came closer, Donat said he threw himself down behind the pipeline, his safety cap and headlamp falling off in the process.

The object came very close to where he was, made a couple of turns around the dam area then headed in an easterly direction. A short distance after it left the dam area, the motor of the object appeared to discharge a long blue flame and it picked up speed extremely fast and disappeared behind the nearby mountains.

According to Mr. Francis' description the object had a half-moon shape with what appeared to be a blue windshield in front and propellers in the rear. For a time it seemed simply to float in space - then it shot forward like a meteor.

Mr. Vere Cote was driving in his car to Grande Vallee on the Murdochville Gaspe highway near the tailings dam area when suddenly a bright blue flash lit up the area around his car. This happened at about the same time as the two men reported seeing the object take-off in an easterly direction which would require it to cross the highway.

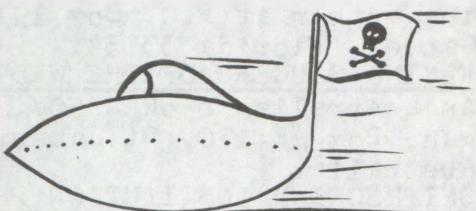
Residents of the Gaspe Peninsula have reported similar experiences.

#### UFO FLYING THE JOLLY ROGER

Kazabazua, Quebec. - Ivan McConnell, said he was driving on Aylwin Road, about a mile east of here at 7 p.m. Oct. 10, 1969, when he spotted an object above his car.

It sported the "Jolly Roger". He described the UFO as about 8 ft in diameter, cone-shaped

and about 200 feet above the ground. "It was mostly white in color," said McConnell. "It had a sort of skeleton figure on the side and I could make out some sort of skull and crossbones." It was reportedly flying east "at a terrific speed" and making no sound. The UFO was not seen by anyone else. UFOs have been seen landing, pulsating, humming, and buzzing in at least three area towns since July. None have displayed hostile tactics.



## A LOOK AT BOOKS

MEETING ON THE MOON AT THE MARS STRONG-HOLD by Riley Crabb. It looks as if Riley has outdone himself with this collection of UFO information which is a compilation of his lectures given to various scientific and space clubs during 1969. Some of the stories are fascinating and others are really weird if you care to let your mind rove into the 4th dimension, astral and ethereal realms. Every person searching for the causes and possible origin of UFOs should read this soft-cover edition. It covers the American flying saucer, John Keel's thoughts on the MIB, the cavern world, thought-astral machines, Ashtar's view of Armageddon, etc. \$2.00 from B.S.R.A., P.O. Box 548, Vista, California 92083.

FLYING SAUCERS OF THE LORD by David F. McConnell. This is the first book brought to our attention about the Bible and UFOs that doesn't ramble on about things having nothing to do with the subject matter. Written in a clear, concise manner, everything is laid out neatly with the verses beginning with Genesis and ending with Revelations with McConnell's interpretations following. It is your choice to decide whether flying saucers are Satan's or the Lord's. Price: \$1.00. Order from the author at P.O. Box 1913, Coral Gables, Florida 33134.

FLYING SAUCERS OF THE WEST by A. Beare. An Australian book - 50¢. Mr. M. Duggan, Box #E-170, St. James, Sydney 2001, Australia.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION PHENOMENA ANNUAL - a documented and illustrated progress report of more than 150 short-lived events during 1969. These include volcanic eruptions, land rises, ecological events, astrophysical science such as major fireball and meteorite falls, plus other unusual phenomena. Price: \$5.00 Make payable to: Smithsonian Institution, CFSLP, 60 Garden St., Cambridge, Mass. 02178.

SURVIVAL IN SPACE by Vladimir Lebedev and Yury Gagarin. How the Russians view life in space. Bantam N5271. 75¢

ALIENS IN OUR SKIES by John Fuller, a

Berkley-Medallion paperback, \$1721.75¢. UFOS AND THE BERMUDA TRIANGLE, 32 pp. will be ready in May. Author is Michael Lindner, 256 E. 89th St., Apt. 11, New York City, N.Y. 10028. PASSPORT TO MAGONIA is the third book by Jacques Vallee.

THE PRINCE OF ATLANTIS is a novel by a reincarnated Atlantean Templar who tells of life in Atlantis up to its final destruction. The story dates back 80,000 years. The Masters of the Templars guided and directed the inhabitants. The laws of levitation were understood. Their therapy was music and color. They could fly with constructed bird wings and had many things which are only now being newly-discovered. It has a timely message for the world plus an interesting story. Price: \$4.00. Order from: Golden Sierra Printing, 116 Mercury Drive, Grass Valley, Calif. 95945.

ARE THE INVADERS COMING by Steven Tyler. Tower 48-892.

Richard S. Shaver is currently having published material from his research and knowledge of UFOs and "Shaver Mystery" information. These will be ready soon in a series of small booklets from Christie Printing Service, Rt. 1, Box 39A, Yellville, Ark. 72687. The United Aerial Phenomena Agency has published UFO EXISTENCE/THE PROOF and also THE BEST OF FLYING SAUCER DIGEST. Both are offset with illustrations and maps. The 1st is \$1.00; 2nd is \$2. & well worth it. Write: P.O. Box 9811 Cleveland, Ohio 44142.

STRANGE CREATURES FROM TIME AND SPACE by John A. Keel will be released in April by Fawcett Gold Medal Books (T2219). Price: 75¢. It is a comprehensive encyclopedia of monsters. Every student of UFOs should have this book at their command.

L.D. Gasteiger, editor of COSMOS, put out a beautiful photographic edition for Dec. 1969. Copies are \$1.00 each from P.O. Box 579, Lawndale, Calif.

SAUCERIAN BOOKS will publish Truman Bethurum's PEOPLE OF THE PLANET CLARION, reprinting Jessup's UFO AND THE BIBLE and two new Michael X books - DANGER ON THE MOON and PROPHECIES FOR THE 70'S. Gray Barker wrote THE SILVER BRIDGE about Pt. Pleasant's Mothman, ready soon. Price \$6.95 from P.O. Box 2228, Clarksburg, W. Va. 26301. SCIENCE AND THE UFO is available from APRO in Tucson, Ariz. Price \$2.00

# STRANGE EXPERIENCE

By Hans Lauritzen

Not only do I know of contactee cases here in Scandinavia, but also of contactee cases in other parts of the world. The main reason I was able to give such an exact description of what happens subsequent to a contact is that I have experienced such a contact myself.

Many ufologists do not really understand the contactee cases. They might wonder whether the contactees tell the truth. What an advantage for a ufologist to have experienced a contact himself. Now he can judge the cases seen from within. But it causes a great deal of frustration.

In February, 1966 I travelled to Africa. I visited 23 countries or territories of Africa. I got a severe case of liver hepatitis, which turned out to be chronic. I had to give up my work and was extremely tired all the time. I was put on an invalid's pension.

In November, 1967 I travelled to the 7th International UFO Congress in Mainz, Germany, together with some friends. Here I met a Swedish girl working for a Swedish group. She told me that I was placed on the list of the spacepeople and that I would be contacted soon.

The evening of Dec. 7, 1967, four of my friends and I went to a wood in Copenhagen (Hareskoven) on a UFO observation tour. It was difficult for me to follow my friends. I had to stop several times because I was so tired. At that time my liver was 10 cm. too big. As we did not see anything, we decided to go home. When we passed an open place, I asked if we could stay a little longer. Then we spread out a little. Suddenly, I saw two great dim yellow globes about 100 meters away.

One of my friends saw one of the globes. I do not know why, but suddenly I asked if I could walk into the wood for ten minutes. My friends agreed. I walked away. I had no intention to walk towards the UFOs, as I could not see them anymore.

I walked as if in a semi-trance, as if I was guided. I just walked. I felt a presence of something above, but I could not see anything. So I said, not loud - what was most important to me. I said: "Please help humanity. Please let me help you in helping humanity." A telepathic conversation followed. It was in Danish. They told me that I should give and not receive. That I should be alone. And then they said: "You are only standing here by the help of your friends. Then you also have to go to your friends."

Then they became surprised and said that it was the first time. Probably it was the first time they met such a strange person like I am (was). So they told me that I had a very strong power and that it would become still stronger. I asked them to make it so that the power could not be misused. After that I continued to walk in a semi-trance. Without having any intention I found myself at the place where I had seen the yellow globes. There was a little open place. I decided to cross it. I don't remember walking across it. All of a sudden I found myself on the other side of the place. I heard my friends calling me. I looked at my watch. More than an hour had lapsed. I wondered where I had been all that time. No time for considerations, I started running in the direction where I left my friends. When I met them, I asked them to excuse me for having walked alone for such a long time.

Strange enough, they did not answer, but I understood that it was all right. We walked towards my car. When we walked down a hillside, I happened to run. Suddenly I discovered that I was not tired anymore. And I ran, ran and ran so fast that my four friends could not follow me. So I had to wait for them. I realized that I had been cured for my otherwise chronic hepatitis.

I drove three friends home. When I drove the fourth friend home, I broke down in the car and cried: "I got the wrong thing - I got the wrong thing." I had not the slightest idea why I said so.

Later on we discovered that we had all five been prompted to take a walk alone in the wood. One of us was blinded by a strange bluish light during his walk. We all suffered from after-effects, although they were not exactly

identical for all of us.

I passed a medical examination. I did not mention my contact. To the surprise of the doctors, 10 cm of my liver had disappeared, so it was now of normal size. The blood tests showed that it functioned now as any other healthy liver.

I have used the word semi-trance. In this state you are completely conscious. Everything is clear. It is only by its effects, that it can be recognized.

Soon after the contact I felt like something was spreading inside my body. Something was moving up along the spine from the bottom to the neck and to the back of the head. It was accompanied by a pleasurable feeling and made me stand up and make strange movements and turns. Because of the semi-trance state I just had to follow it, but afterwards, I became extremely afraid what it could be. It was like something spreading in the whole nervous system. After some months pains began coming in the breast and under the arms but especially in the back, the neck and the back of the head. I have never experienced so strong pains before. Gradually the effects faded.

Soon after the contact I felt the most pleasurable states of mind so wonderful it cannot be described. At other times I felt such a strong fear and anxiety that I dared not go outside the house. As such times I was also most inclined to deny that anything had happened to me at all. After some months such states of mind and sorrow, depression and desperation came. I have never experienced so hard suffering before. Gradually the effects faded.

Soon after the contact I discovered that I had not my free will to believe and think what I wished to. I could talk with people saying yes and no to various opinions. But afterwards I discovered that whatever I had heard, I had to believe in it and act according to it. Of course it created great confusion. Strange thoughts which I felt I was not thinking myself came popping up. They were often of a very negative and destructive character. It was not possible for me to stop these thoughts although I tried all the time. The worst thing was that because of the semi-trance state I was forced to believe in all these strange thoughts too. Previously I had complete control of my thoughts and peace of mind. I never believed that such great confusion of thoughts and belief existed. Gradually the effects faded.

To summarize this experience: It has been the most wonderful and pleasurable experience in my life. It has been the most horrible and painful experience in my life. Before - I had a sick liver. At one time it was 16 cm too big. Now I have a healthy liver. I am most thankful to the UFOs for having cured my otherwise chronic disease without which I would never have been able to resume my work and activities.

I swear to God that I have told the truth as far as I can see it.

NOTE: The aftermath to this personal experience is told in OUTERMOST. See elsewhere in this issue for information and how to get OUTERMOST.

## MAGAZINES ON \* THE NEWSSTANDS

to Photograph UFOs"

SAGA - March, 1970 - "Devil's Sea; Flying Saucer Death Trap" by O. Binder.

MALE - March, 1970 - "This American Town is UFO Target Number 1." by John A. Keel and Gene Duplantier.

A spaceship from the Moon landed at the rim of the Grand Canyon. The man from the Moon called out, "Hello!". His echo answered, "Hello!". He said, "I'm from outer space." His echo answered, "I'm from outer space." The space man continued, "I'm from the Moon." "Don't kid me," came the response, "everybody knows there's no life on the Moon." (Cosmic Newsletter #10)

SAGA - Jan. 1970 - "Liquidation of the UFO Investigators" by Otto Binder.

MAN TO MAN - March, 1970 - "Scanning Scandinavia's UFOs" by M.S. Player

STAG ANNUAL #7, 1970 - "The UFO Link to World Disasters"

BEYOND - March, 1970 - "Expert Reveals How

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Intercontinental UFO Research and Analytic Network

## Call For Security Against Space War

Ever since June 30th, 1965, UN Secretary-General U Thant has been in possession of a grave warning concerning the potential threat posed by the phenomena of Unidentified Flying Objects. "Powers of a superhuman civilization," the warning reads, "living on celestial bodies, are conducting organized reconnaissance operations on and around our planet. At present time, the analyzed behavior of the alien space vehicles seems to be neutral, but their unknown assignment and task warns humanity and world outer space exploration teams to look to their security; and take immediate precautionary measures before launching any long lasting scientific study of the phenomena. The UFO problem hangs more dangerously above the great powers of the world than even the spectre of a third world war."

This dire warning was issued by Colman VonKeviczky, Director of the Intercontinental UFO Research and Analytic Network. It clearly sounded a call for the United Nations to look to its defenses against an invasion from outer space, or else suffer the consequences of a failure to heed such a warning. Since that date, June 30, 1965, the United Nations has done very little to brace itself for a conflict between any civilizations except those which exist right here on earth. However, it has taken certain preliminary steps, such as the establishment of U.N. committees to deal with representatives of space civilizations from beyond our solar system, should they appear. In addition, several important laws have been adopted by the 62 United Nations members, all of whom signed the treaty governing the peaceful uses of outer space. However, only a small portion of the warning issued by Colman VonKeviczky has been heeded.

In his message, VonKeviczky pointed out that outer space civilizations, while making exploratory flights around the world, were preparing for a possible landing here. Therefore, he urged Thant to take immediate steps to organize a committee to supervise a global UFO analysis and surveillance through a United Nations network. Thant was presented with photographs, and an analysis of various UFO sightings around the world.

Colman VonKeviczky, M.M.S.E., Master of Military Science and Engineering, is a Hungarian-born American citizen who graduated from the Royal Hungarian Maria Luáovica Military University in Budapest in 1932. Later, he was commissioned a major on the Royal Hungarian General Staff, and chief of the Military Audio-Visual Education Department (which he organized). After 1946, he served with the U.S. Third Army and U.S. Constabulary Headquarters in Germany.

In 1951, VonKeviczky came to the United States and opened a motion picture and photographic enterprise which he operated for many years. He was also editor-publisher of the Hungarian World Illustrated monthly newspaper, and later joined the United Nations Secretariat's Office of Public Information, Photo and Exhibit Department. He left the United Nations Secretariat in 1966, and for more than 15 years he has been a leader and observer in the field of international UFO research. His position with the UN was reportedly terminated because of his activity in the field of ufology, (although the UN denies this.) VonKeviczky's skill as a military scientist is recognized world-wide, and on the basis of his strategic and tactical study of UFO operations, 24 nations signed the 1967 Mainz Resolution which was presented at a convention in Mainz, West Germany. The resolution declared: "UFOs are identified as alien space vehicles, originating from powers on celestial bodies." The Mainz paper incorporated many of the proposals VonKeviczky had included in his first draft memorandum, submitted to Secretary General U Thant, which provided a basis for steps toward an international space treaty. The memorandum's principal points stressed that scientific exploration of outer space must involve the security of extraterrestrial beings as well as the nations of Earth, and no warlike missions would be undertaken against people in outer space.

Also, peaceful extraterrestrial beings and spaceships, and their properties within our Ionospherical Region, would be under the permanent protection and jurisdiction of the UN General Assembly. In case of a landing by such visitors, obviously the protection and jurisdiction would belong to the government on whose territory the landing took place, subject to provisions of the United Nations Constitution. He steadfastly believes that the danger of a possible invasion of earth from outer space is great, and that some defense system should be organized to protect the earth's inhabitants. In another letter to Secretary-General U Thant, VonKeviczky had these comments:

"At the birth of the space age, which was the beginning of the atomic age, there were increasing waves of UFO flights, especially in 1957 when a formal 'silent invasion' of our planet was observed and registered by authorities and semi-official investigators. Car engines stopped on the highways, as did official radio communication systems and compasses on aircraft in flight whenever and wherever mysterious luminescent objects appeared. You will recall that, at this time, the public was partly misdirected by whispering propaganda, that the flying saucers were American, or maybe Soviet, newly constructed, supersonic, interplanetary spacecraft testings. But the present

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## BUSINESSMAN HAS EXTRAORDINARY ADVENTURE - By Giles Cote

On the evening of August 1, 1968, Mr. Rodolp Lemieux was driving his car alone on the road to New Irin, when he suddenly spotted a strange object over the trees farther ahead. He drove closer when he suddenly stopped in surprise.

The object was motionless, enormous, the strangest possible shape he had ever seen. The object, he claims, was not more than 500 feet from him, and this is a strict maximum. The disc was 250 feet in diameter, and banking to the left at maybe a 45 degree angle. The legs were some 35 feet long and of the same dark grey color as the rest of the ship.

The spheres at the end of the legs were of three different colors, the fourth being hidden by trees. They were blue, red and gold. The thickness of the disc was between 35 and 40 feet at the centre section.

The time was 8 p.m. and at this time of year, the sun is still rather high in the sky but in a wooded area only the high objects will get the direct sunlight. Mr. Lemieux had the sun behind him and the object received and reflected the sunlight.

Mr. Lemieux got out of his car, walked as close as possible to the edge of the wood after he made sure that he could not find anybody in the house of one of his clients nearby. A few minutes later, he heard a car coming and he ran to the road in hopes of getting a witness to the sighting.

The driver was going about 50 mph and after waving and calling to him, it looked like the driver didn't see him at all. He returned to the site where he stood still and watched for more than ten minutes.

Then he became aware that this object was not anything that we could manufacture here on Earth. It was too big, and the complete absence of noise could not explain how it stayed above the trees. He became frightened, got back into his car in a hurry, and drove back home at a very fast speed.

In the past, Mr. Lemieux has seen very often strange objects flying low over the woods, and sometimes at close range from him and his companions. He thought nothing of them since he had always taken them for unknown aircrafts but of terrestrial origin.

### UFO PROBLEM (Concluded)

evidence contradicts this 10-year-old bluffing statement because the United States and the Soviet Union would not find it necessary to invest millions of dollars for space exploration if they already had the power drive and space navigation system possessed by the UFOs. Consequently, the original claim did not change in twenty years until 1966. Science fiction stories about 'little green men from Mars' could not cover up certain facts, such as a further increase in forced global UFO flights with test landings in low populated areas; traces left by UFO landing devices; burned out earth surface scars left after UFOs had taken off.

"It is also a fact that we have thousands and thousands of registered official and unofficial sightings by observers including pilots, scientists, doctors, police, psychoanalysts and members of the F.B.I. The United Nations and the world have been warned. We are being visited by people from another highly intelligent civilization coming from outer space. Now is the time for the UN to take the lead and set up a system for the defense of Planet Earth as well as a method of contacting and welcoming the visitors if they are friendly.

"Tomorrow . . . I fear may be too late."

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## PERSONALITY PROFILE

# GEORGE D. FAWCETT

Most people don't know this, but George Fawcett has been an active professional Y.M.C.A. Director for the past eighteen years in 5 states.

In addition, many years ago he found the need for an organization to serve as a "sounding board" for persons having UFO experiences, where they could report their sightings of UFOs, whether in the air or on the ground, without fear of ridicule or censorship. He started his **UFO SAUCERIANA COLLECTION** over 23 years ago in 1947, one of the largest on the East Coast. It was for this reason that he founded and currently serves as Chief Advisor to the New England UFO Study Group (1959); the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Two-State UFO Study Group (1965) and the Florida UFO Study Group (1968).

His hometown is Mount Airy, North Carolina, but his present address is P.O. Box Drawer "Y", DeLand, Florida 32720. He was born in 1929, graduated from Lynchburg College, Virginia, 1952.

Aside from the many complex duties and responsibilities of a Y.M.C.A. Director, he tries to take time out to keep up with the flying saucer enigma. Fawcett is working on a book to be published soon, entitled **"CHASING THE FLYING SAUCERS"** and hopes someday to establish a **SAUCER MUSEUM** in North Carolina.

Research, investigation, writing and lecturing on UFOs is one of his eight serious hobbies. He is married and has two children, a son and a daughter. He is well known from New Hampshire to Panama and also overseas because of his study groups, published writings, illustrated lectures, radio and TV appearances.

In 1969 many of his published UFO research articles were mentioned in the **LIBRARY OF CONGRESS** book **"UFOs and RELATED SUBJECTS - AN ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY"**. Fawcett was also listed in the 1967 edition of **Outstanding Personalities in the South**. But then this just goes to prove you can't believe everything you read...and when the government recently stated that UFOs don't exist, this was another good case in point.



### FLEET OF AIRSHIPS CRUISED OVER TORONTO IN 1913

Several occupants of the Knox Building, Wellington Street West, were greatly excited about 2 o'clock when they described what they firmly believed to be a fleet of airships fishing out over the lake (Ontario - GD) beyond the Island. Mr. R.A. Adams, of The Ladies Wear Co., speaking to the *Star* said:

"At first I took the objects to be a peculiar cloud formation, but when I called some others in they backed up my belief that they were neither birds nor smoke."

"They passed across our range of vision about the centre of Queen's Hotel flagpole and seemed to be far out over the lake. There was no smoke or snow at the time. Our vision here on the fifth floor is limited by the Northway Bldg. on the west side and the Irving Bldg. on the east, and so we could not see how far east they went."

"They passed from west to east in three groups of two each, and then returned west in a more scattered formation, about seven or eight in all," said Mr. M.G. McTaggart, a clerk. Mr. W.J. Duke also was sure they were airships. Query: Were they seagulls, or big hawks, or.....? (The *Toronto Star*, Feb. 10, 1913)

### THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY....

Vladimir Keler, reports in an issue of **SOVIET UNION** the following trends to the future: Comfortable towns and factories will be built on the sea bottoms to tap untold wealth. A science Centre will be established on the moon. Synthetic animals will be developed when the heredity code has been deciphered. Neutrino astronomy will be developed. Automatic devices will fly to other galaxies. Man will enter the centre of the Earth. Contact between people of other civilizations of the Universe, if any. The surface of the sun will be reached by super-fire-proof spaceships. Gravity will be controlled. Rockets will approximate the speed of light. People will acquire special devices for telepathic communications.

## WHAT THEY'RE DOING & SAYING

On a recent trip to New York City, Gray Barker stayed the night at Jim Moseley's apartment and had to sleep in Jim's daughter's room (who was away at her mother's that weekend). Gray awakened prematurely about 11 a.m. (he had a rough night on Long John's night radio show) and had a tremendous shock! Looming in front of him was a giant figure. It appeared about 6-feet tall.

In the dim light of the room, darkened by pull shades, it took on an even more menacing appearance. Its head was round, it had what appeared to be antenna or possibly whiskers, dominated by a giant pair of ears. Gray's first thought was that it was a monster, his second was that he was suffering from DT's. Gray cried out aloud, moments later Jim entered the room, switched on the light. The monster was identified! It was Betty's giant rabbit, a stuffed figure Gray had taken off the bed and stood in the corner..... Mike Lindner of Flying Saucer News tells us occult books are outselling UFO books 10 to 1..... Colman von Keviczky of ICUFON informs us he has just become a member of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics.... Miss Marianne Francis of the Solar Light Center will lecture in Montreal, Que., on April 10 of this year at the Arena..... The Detroit UFO Information and Research Center is folding up in June, 1970 after 3 years of publishing their most informative newsletter..... Brian Cannon, SS&S rep in Winnipeg just returned home from British Columbia where he met another SS&S rep, P.M.H. Edwards of Victoria and also the editor of Canadian UFO Report, John Magor..... Wehrner von Braun was appointed deputy associate administrator for planning future U.S. space missions..... Roberto Pinotti, editor of Notizario Magazine, Italy) had a UFO article written by himself in the Dec. 18, 1969 issue of L'EUROPEO..... L.D. Gasteiger, editor of COSMOS put out a beautiful photographic edition for December, 1969. Copies are still available at \$1.00 each. P.O. Box 579, Lawndale, Calif. 90260..... Eric Erickson, a columnist for the Prince George Progress says he is possibly the only man in Canada who knows the inside story on UFOs..... Saucer Scoop, formerly edited by Joan Whritenour, is now defunct..... Joseph Ferriere, former editor of PROBE now hosts a new radio show on WNRI, Rhode Island, called "Probing the Unknown"..... A two-day session on UFOs by the American Academy of Sciences was held in Boston, Mass., on Dec. 26-27, 1969..... Timothy G. Beckley will be doing a series of lectures at colleges and organizations this year..... Earl Neff, famed Cleveland ufologist will host a weekly 10-minute segment on Ch.43 on the Bob McLean show from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. in Cleveland... .... Major Keyhoe was the guest of Earl Neff on the Allan Douglas show on WKYC, Cleveland, Jan. 6. They "blasted" Project Blue Book..... "EANDO" Binder is a "pen name" used by Otto Binder - the "E" is for 'Earl' his older brother, (now deceased) who at first collaborated with him, but gave it up due to other circumstances and the E - AND - O was kept since it had a following in fandom.

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UFOs EJECT FIREBALLS - "Fireballs" ejected from a UFO which hovered over Maple Bay and Crofton early in January, 1970, could mark the return of the "beepers", V.L. Stanley-Jones of Duncan, B.C. said on Monday, Jan. 9th.

Both he and his wife and several other people in the area witnessed a large yellow-orange craft cruising over the area on the evening of Jan. 6th.

Individual reports substantiated his theory - that the vehicle appeared to drop off a number of "fire balls or sparks" as it continued on a north-easterly course towards Crofton from Genoa Bay. They watched the craft for eight minutes about 11 p.m. after stopping their car on Lakes Road. "I turned off the headlights and shut the motor off. We got out of the car and saw this bright object between 500 and 1,000 feet above the ground. The craft looked like a disc and was the largest he'd ever seen.

The craft made no noise as it slowly travelled over Lakes Road hill. When it reached the bottom of the hill, it stopped briefly and then turned right and flew over the city.

"When it was over about the centre of Duncan it stopped again and we watched it just hanging there for awhile, then it moved off due west more rapidly," Mr. Jones said.

About 8:30 p.m. another couple, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur LeQuesne, Maple Bay, were travelling south past the Maple Bay Yatch Club when they spotted a similar type of craft over Birds Eye Cove. The bright orange ball was about 2,000 feet high and was manoeuvring in a counter-clockwise direction. They heard no sound.

"It dropped three fireballs and at first we thought it was a plane exploding. It remained stationary for about five minutes and then disappeared."

About the same time, Mrs. Kay Clinehens, Maple Bay, reported witnessing the bright orange object after she went outside to move her car. "I thought it was too large to be a star and it was stationary."

Mrs. Fran Merrill, Crofton, said she watched a large red or blue light which hovered over Maple Mountain. She said the object could have had a silver surface. It was a round object which manoeuvred back and forth and it appeared that flames or sparks were shooting out.

Stanley-Jones said that two years ago in this area and Vancouver, people heard a "beeping" sound but couldn't see anything. The experts investigated the possibility that it could have been some type of space probe and because of some mechanical failure the signal became audible to the human ear.

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